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LATEST
ONLY ONES TO
RIN MAYFAIR

TED NIKENT RIN
EXCLUSIVE.

THE ONLY ONES

NEW ALBUM OUT SOON:-

"BABY'S GOT A GUN"

NEW SINGLE OUT SOON:-

"FOOLS"

PETER PERRET • GUITAR/VOCALS

JOHN PERRY • GUITAR

ALAN MAIR • BASS

MIKE KELLIE • DRUMS

SINGLES

- LOVERS OF TODAY •
- ANOTHER GIRL, ANOTHER PLANET •
- YOU'VE GOT TO PAY •
- OUT THERE IN THE NIGHT •
- TROUBLE IN THE WORLD •
- FOOLS •

ALBUMS

- THE ONLY ONES •
- EVEN SERPENTS SHINE •
- SPECIAL VIEW • (IMPORT) •
- BABY'S GOT A GUN •

SUPPORT
BAND
AT
THE
ONLY ONES
GIG
ARE
WASTED YOUTH.

WASTED YOUTH SINGLE IS
QUALITY MATERIAL. IT'S
CALLED, "JEALOUSY".



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PAULINE REVIEWS THE SINGLES IN THIS ISSUE / SINCE LEAVING PENETRATION SHE, & ROB, HAVE BEEN WORKING ON NEW MATERIAL, SOME OF WHICH WAS HEARD RECENTLY ON THE JOHN PEEL SHOW / THEY AREN'T PUTTING TOGETHER A PERMANENT WORKING BAND, BUT WILL BE USING DIFFERENT MUSICIANS AS NEEDS REQUIRE / THEY ARE ALSO GOING INTO THE STUDIOS SOON TO RECORD A POSSIBLE SINGLE / PAULINE FEATURES ON BACKING VOCALS ON THE NEW ONLY ONES ALBUM ALSO / SO, IN THE NEAR FUTURE THERE'S GOING TO BE SOME NEW RECORDS TO ADD TO YOUR COLLECTION.

EXPELAIRES.

SYMPATHY (DON'T BE TAKEN IN)

Not as lively as their 1st single on Zoo. Reminds me of Gang of Four, but without the dynamics. **6/10.**

THE TEA SET.

PARRY THOMAS.

Write through the looking glass! **3/10**

CHROME

SOUNDTRACK FROM READ ONLY MEMORY.

Relaxing - is that the word? Backwards not so. Gets you dancing by the end. 12" 4 track **58** soundtrack. Can't mark as single. Love it or hate it!

HOT GOSSIP

SPACE INVADERS.

Good intro. ANFUL after that **0000**

WAH! HEAT!

Some great pop music coming out of Liverpool at the moment. Good song - subtle. **8/10**

WASTED YOUTH

JEALOUSY.

Real surprise. Reminds me of Lou Reed, Transformer Berlin period. Love the sound. Buy it! **9/10**

Pauline

TED NUGENT

Exclusive Axeman Prints



FOLLOWERS OF HEAVY METAL IN GENERAL AND OF TED NUGENT IN PARTICULAR WILL BE HEARTENED TO LEARN THAT HE PLANS TO VISIT THIS COUNTRY IN AUGUST. IT'S THREE YEARS SINCE THE WORLD'S LEADING EXPONENT OF GONZOLD ROCK LAST VENTURED NORTH OF LONDON AND AS A VISUAL REMINDER OF HOW THE BOY LOOKS LISTEN EAR ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE A SPECIAL SHOWING OF NUGENT PIX TAKEN IN LONDON IN MAY 79 WHEN HE MADE A BRIEF VISIT FOR TWO SELL-OUT CONCERTS AT HAMMERSMITH ODEON.

LOCAL PHOTOGRAPHER TONY GODWIN FOLLOWED NUGENT THROUGH THREE DAYS OF INTERVIEWS, GIGS AND MORE INTERVIEWS TO COME UP WITH MANY CAREFULLY CONSIDERED PORTRAIT SHOTS OF THE MAN.

FOR THOSE INTERESTED IN NUGENT/ROCK/PHOTOGRAPHY/ '80's... THIS EXHIBITION IS FOR YOU.

THE PHOTOGRAPHS WILL BE ON SHOW TILL MAY 10th.

ED.

HEAVY METAL HAMMERS THROUGH THIS MONTH WITH A
FINE ALBUM FROM FRANK MARINO + MAHOGANY RUSH
ENTITLED "WHAT'S NEXT." ITS THE BEST WAXING, OF ALL
TO COME FROM MARNO IN SOME TIME AND IF THE L.P.'S
YOU ARE AMONG THE FEW WHO DIDNT GET TO COME
AN IMPORT - ITS NOW TIME TO BUY BRITISH MONTH, THE
MIXED FORTUNES FOR PUNILUX - NEW "CHROME"
HOME BASED BAND RECENTLY ALBUM, "RED
RECENTLY RETURNED FROM EXPOSURES," SHINES
EUROPE - NEW LUXURY THROUGH AS THE
RIPPED OFF WHEN THIEVES MOST IMPORTANT FOR
BROKE INTO HIS FLAT ME/DISTORTED GUITAR
AND RELIEVED HIM OF SYTHESIZERS MIXED WITH
5 GUITARS WK. THEIR FULL POTENTIAL/
ROLLAND SYNTH. CHROME'S FOURTH ALBUM
£200 REWARD BUT ONLY THE FIRST TO BE
FOR ANY OF THE OTHER THREE + AN AMAZING
INFO. 12" SINGLE ARE AVAILABLE ON
OK OUT FOR OVER THE NEXT COUPLE
OF WEEKS ARE "SNAP, CRACKLE & (POP).
BY JOHN COOPER-CLARKE & THE NEW
ALBUMS BY SUICIDE & TUXEDO MOON/
THEN THERE'S THE ONLY ONES L.P. &
MAGAZINES ALBUM/SINGLES OF
INTEREST MUST BE THE 12" BY
THE RESIDENTS, "DISCOMO".
ello, A few years, this month
Just out is the 2nd Delta 5 single.
On Rough Trade a double A side "Anticipation"
+ "You" recorded at Peel studio
Wales, also used lately by the
Pop Group's Basher Lowe (who
I hear holds the record for falling
out of bed there - 12 times in one night)
anyway a great single from Delta 5 who
play. Nicle later this month - don't miss them.
Also from Wales & on Rough Trade - Young
Marble Giants. Their LP "Colossal Youth" was
released a couple of weeks ago and has 2 brothers
and a woman creating an eerie & mesmerizing
atmosphere. Another goodie is Antony More's "Flying
doesn't help" This suffered at the hands of NME
& SNOWD's reviewers but they must have left their gorms
at Pitlochrie. This is a great album that seems to combine
the pop sides of Brian Eno & John Cale circa "Vintage Violence"
Latest rumour is a Bowie L.P. for June! Musicians who played on
it say it's his best since Ziggy but I like them all. Cheerio R
Newsflash "Only ones" P.A. at Listen Ear
2pm. 17/4/80

LOOK OUT FOR TWO EXCELLENT H.M. EP'S COMING YOUR WAY SOON FROM LOCAL BAND OFFIST (EVAE) AND MYTHRA. ALSO NEW PRIEST AND SCORPIONS ALBUMS COMING SOON. BIG RUMOUR AT THE MOMENT IS THAT AEROSMITH MAY BE TOURING BRITAIN IN THE SUMMER, SUPPORTED BY WHO ELSE BUT MAHOGANY RUSH. AS I SAY JUST RUMOURED AT THE MOMENT. HERE'S HOPING ANYWAY. RECENT H.M. DISCOVERIES KROKUS (THOUGH METAL RENDEVOUS IS 3RD ALBUM) SOUND MUCH BETTER WHEN NOT IMITATING AC/DC. STILL, CHECK IT OUT 7/10. BETTER STILL IS THE NEW PAT TRAVERS ALBUM. WON'T WIN HIM ANY NEW FANSTHOUGH A BIT TOO LAID BACK FOR MOST H.M. FANS BUT AS I AM ALREADY CONVERTED 10/10. ANYONE SEE RORY ON T.V. BEST OF WIT IN AGES. BEST SINGLE TO COME FROM "NMB" NOB MUST BE TRESPASS ONE OF THESE DAYS THANKS SEE YA

THE L.P.'S TO COME OUT THIS MONTH, THE NEW "CHROME" ALBUM, "RED EXPOSURES," SHINES THROUGH AS THE MOST IMPORTANT FOR ME/DISTORTED GUITAR & VOCALS MIXED WITH SYTHESIZERS USED TO THEIR FULL POTENTIAL/ CHROME'S FOURTH ALBUM BUT ONLY THE FIRST TO BE RELEASED IN BRITAIN, ALTHOUGH THE OTHER THREE + AN AMAZING 12" SINGLE ARE AVAILABLE ON IMPORT / OTHER RECORDS TO LOOK OUT FOR OVER THE NEXT COUPLE OF WEEKS ARE "SNAP, CRACKLE & (POP). BY JOHN COOPER-CLARKE & THE NEW ALBUMS BY SUICIDE & TUXEDO MOON/ THEN THERE'S THE ONLY ONES L.P. & MAGAZINES ALBUM/SINGLES OF INTEREST MUST BE THE 12" BY THE RESIDENTS, "DISCOMO". WELL, THE CLASH FILM, "RUDE BOY", IS ON IN NEWCASTLE & THE CLASH ARE AT THE MAYFAIR IN JUNE, BUT WILL THE NEW SINGLE EVER EMERGE IT'S WELL OVERDUE NOW. GOOD THINGS ON THE RADIO IN THE LAST WEEK HAVE BEEN THE JOHN PEEL SESSIONS FROM PAULINE MURRAY, "DREAM SEQUENCE" IN PARTICULAR BEING VERY IMPRESSIVE THE END

VAN HALEN

WOMEN AND CHILDREN FIRST

*** WE ARE THE NEW WAVE
ANNOUNCED DAVE LEE ROTH
WITH THE RELEASE OF VAN
HALEN I. THE SECOND ALBUM
WAS A BIT OF A DISSAPPOINTMENT
BUT THIS THIRD ALBUM SHOWS
VAN HALEN BACK TO THEIR
SKULL BUSTING BEST. THIS ALBUM
OOZES CLASS, WITH THAT VERY
DISTINCTIVE SOUND AND STYLE THAT
DISTINGUISHES THEM FROM ANY
OTHER H.M. BAND

BEST CUTS: THE WHOLE
ALBUM ROCKS
FROM BEGINING TO END
(CEPT "COULD THIS BE MAGIC")
NEW ANTHEM WITH
"AND THE CRADLE
WILL ROCK"

HEAVY METAL REVIEW: HEAVY METAL REVIEW: HEAVY METAL

NEW WAVE OF
BRITISH HEAVY
METAL

SAXON WHEELS OF *** 1/2 STEEL

A DEFINATE H.M. ALBUM, BUT SO SAYING, IT
DEFINATLY LACKS SOMTHING. TOO MANIC FOR
MY LIKING. MAYBE IT'S BIFF'S VOICE. STILL, SOME
GREAT GUITAR WORK KEEPS BLASTING FROM
THE SPEAKERS TO KEEP ALL YOU HEADBANGERS HAPPY

CHROME

RED EXPOSURE

Album
TRACKS

NEW AGE
ROOM 101
EYES ON MARS
JONESTOWN
ANIMAL
STATIC GRAVITY
EYES IN THE CENTER
ELECTRIC CHAIR
NIGHT OF THE EARTH
ISOLATION

MODERN DISKO DANCE STEPS FOLLOWING

PERE UBU & THE AMERIKAN NEW SOUND / "CAN"
YOU TAKE IT LIKE A MODERN MAN / RED EXPOSURE
IS CHROME'S FOURTH ALBUM / FIRST BRITISH
RELEASE THOUGH / ALBUM OF THE MONTH
AT LISTEN EAR SIMPLY BECAUSE IT'S SUCH
ESSENTIAL MATERIAL / CHECK THE OTHER
ALBUMS TOO IF THIS ONES TO YOUR LIKING.
1 "ALIEN SOUNDTRACKS" 3 "THE VISITATION"
3 "HALF MACHINE LIP MOVES"

CH-CH-CH-CHANGES

CHANGES, THAT'S WHAT YOU'VE PROBABLY NOTICED THIS WEEK IN "LISTEN EAR".

BUT IT'S NOT JUST THE PAINT JOB & THE MOVING AROUND OF THE COUNTER THAT HAVE CHANGED, THERE ARE A FEW OTHER ONES TOO.

FIRSTLY, ANDY HAS LEFT AND IS MOVING AWAY TO THE MANCHESTER AREA WHERE HE'LL UNDOUBTEDLY FIND A JOB EASILY ENOUGH IN THE RECORD BUSINESS. THIS LEAVES ME AS THE NEW SHOP MANAGER. ROB HAS BEGUN TO WORK FULL TIME NOW, WORKING NOT ONLY IN THE SHOP, BUT WITH ED SKELDING OF "STRAIGHT FORWARD PROMOTIONS", PUTTING ON GIGS THAT WERE ALL SURE YOU'LL ENJOY. ON SATURDAYS YOU'LL NOTICE ANOTHER FACE,

GAV, OUR PART TIME HELPER OF THE DEAF VARIETY (TOO MUCH HEAVY METAL). WE'VE ALSO GOT OURSELVES A SECRETARY, ANN, WHO'LL HOPEFULLY BE KEEPING US TOGETHER BY ANSWERING THE PHONE & DOING THE ACCOUNTS.

THEN THERE'S THIS MAGAZINE YOU'RE READING NOW. IT'LL BE COMING OUT EVERY TWO WEEKS TO KEEP YOU INFORMED ABOUT GIGS & NEW RECORD RELEASES, WE ALL HOPE YOU ENJOY READING IT & FIND OUR COMMENTS USEFUL WHEN YOU'RE DECIDING WHICH RECORDS TO BUY & WHICH GIGS TO GO TOO.

THANKS.

KEV.

straight forward concerts

WELCOME, ENTERTAINMENT SEEKERS — ORIGINAL PUNK BAND CHELSEA START OFF GIGS FOR APRIL AT THE CENTRE HOTEL SUPPORTED BY LOCAL POET NOD IN WHAT PROMISES TO BE A LIVELY NIGHT OUT. MIDDLESBOROUGH GETS THE CRAMPS ON APRIL 16th. AT THE TOWN HALL WITH FASHION DOING THE SUPPORT. THE FOLLOWING NIGHT HAS THE LONG AWAITED RETURN OF THE ONLY ONES AT THE MAYFAIR WITH PETER PERRETT DISCOVERY WASTED YOUTH — BOTH THESE BANDS HAVE EXCELLENT NEW SINGLES AVAILABLE THIS MONTH. SO, THATS ALL FOR NOW, SOME STIMULATING MUSIC FOR SPRING!

LATE NOOZ — SPEED HAVE BEEN ADDED TO CHELSEA / NOD. A' the best ED.

• LISTEN EAR TOP TEN •

• NEW WAVE •

1	WASTED YOUTH	• JEALOUSY
2	THE SLITS	• IN THE BEGINNING....
3	THE FALL	• FIERY JACK
4	TEARDROP EXPLODES	• TREASON
5	(4 GROUPS)	• 1980 • FIRST 15 MINS.
6	WAX HEAT	• BETTER SCREAM
7	A. MORE	• JUDY
8	THE CURE	• A FOREST
9	THE INSEX	• INNER SANCTION
10	MANICURED NOISE	• MOSCOW 1980

• LISTEN EAR TOP TEN •

• HEAVY METAL •

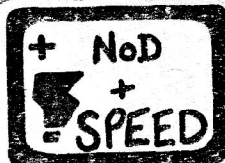
1	WITCHFYND	• GIVE 'EM HELL
2	JUDAS PRIEST	• LIVING AFTER MIDNIGHT
3	SAXON	• WHEELS OF STEEL
4	DIAMOND HEAD	• SHOOT OUT THE LIGHTS
5	VARDIS	• IF I WERE KING
6	APRIL WINE	• I LIKE TO ROCK
7	RUSH	• SPIRIT OF RADIO
8	PRAYING MANTIS	• CAPTURED CITY
9	SLEDGEHAMMER	• SLEDGEHAMMER
10	AC/DC	• TOUCH TOO MUCH

• STRAIGHT FORWARD PROMOTIONS •

• PRESENTS •

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